

**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:  
SCHMITT et al.

Appln. No.: PCT/EP00/03347

Filed: Concurrently herewith

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For: DIAGNOSTIC AND THERAPEUTIC USE OF ANTIBODIES AGAINST THE  
UROKINASE RECEPTOR

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

October 15, 2001

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fees and initial examination of the application,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Before Line 1, page 1 insert

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**--CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION**

A<sup>1</sup>  
This application is a National Stage entry of International Application No.  
PCT/EP00/03347, filed April 13, 2000, the entire specification claims and drawings of  
which are incorporated herewith by reference.

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**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 3-9; 12; 16-18; 22 and 23 as follows:

A<sup>2</sup>  
3. (Amended) Method as claimed in claim 1, characterized that antibodies  
or antibody fragments or/and receptor ligands are used as cell-specific binding  
molecules.